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There are laws in place for the Ashcroft God-Squad to follow without giving them free reign and absolute access to private information. What is next? Glass ceiling so they can peer at us from satellites? Just as the White House enjoys unlimited immunity from scrutiny, there are citizens like me, who don't want to feel like children being spied on constantly.

Our government appears to be morphing into a Cold War era Soviet Union. I don't buy their argument. They don't need to spy on everyone to get the bad guys.

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It is not possible to build "back doors" that only the government can go through - they will open doors for hackers as well.

The government already has processes for gaining appropriate access to anything on the internet with DUE PROCESS which protects us from abuse (governmental or private).

LET'S KEEP THOSE IN PLACE!

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